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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Ding et al. Confirmation No.: 1077
Serial No.: 10/071,400 Art Unit: 3763
Filed: February 7, 2002 Examiner: Michael M. Thompson
For: MEDICAL DEVICE WITH Attorney Docket No.: 10177-111-999
SPONGE COATING FOR CAM No.: 008563-999109
CONTROLLED DRUG
RELEASE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2004 be extended for a period of 3 month(s) from November 25, 2004 to and including February 25, 2005.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$900.00. A previous one-month extension of time was filed on December 15, 2004 for \$120.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: February 25, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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